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Applicants : Jabbour et al. )  
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Respectfully submitted,

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**Title**

Fp receptor antagonists or pgf2 alpha antagonists for treating pathological conditions of the uterus

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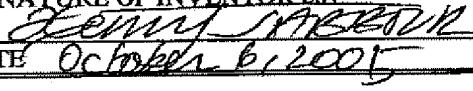
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